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Just got this from one of the community members – any thoughts?

Thanks.

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From: *****
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Subject: PROPOSED PIT REPAIRS

ATTACHED IS AN EXAMPLE OF WHAT GARRY MILLER WITH E.P.A. AND I HAVE BEEN DISCUSSING ON HOW TO REPAIR THE SAN JACINTO RIVER WASTE PITS, WITHOUT KILLING ALL THE WILDLIFE AGAIN, LIKE THEY DID IN 2011, WHEN THEY DROVE SHEET PILINGS DIRECTLY INTO THE PITS. THE PROPOSED DRY ZONE WILL KEEP ANY SPILLAGE OF WASTE OUT OF THE RIVER, PUMP OUT THE DRY ZONE & PIT AREAS, LET IT DRY OUT FROM SUNSHINE, THEN DIG A 20' HOLE WHERE THE PITS ARE LOCATED, TO INSURE IT IS ALL GONE, THEN CLEAN OUT THE DRY ZONE AREA, AND LAST, PULL OUT THE SHEET PILINGS TO LET MOTHER NATURE TAKE BACK THE CLEANED OUT TOXIC WASTE PITS AREA. I SUGGEST AT LEAST 3 ROWS OF SHEET PILINGS TO GIVE EXTRA PROTECTION FROM ALLOWING ANY TOXIC POISON BACK INTO THE RIVER. YOU COULD USE LARGE CHEERY PICKERS THAT YOU COULD WALK DOWN INTO THE DRY ZONE AREA TO LOAD THE TOXIC WASTE ONTO BARGES, OR DO IT ALL WITH BACKHOES AND DUMP TRUCKS, WHICH MIGHT NEED TO BE ALLOWED TO SIT AND DRAIN BEFORE DRIVING ON THE ROADWAY. I HAVE OVER 28 YEARS OF CONSTRUCTION EXPERIENCE AND LIVED NEXT TO THESE PITS FOR 24 YEARS, THE WATER AROUND THE TOXIC WASTE PIT AREA IS BETWEEN 2' TO 5' DEEP AND THIS IS MY BEST PROPOSAL ON FIXING THIS TERRIBLE SITUATION.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME,



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